

Alpena-Montmorency Conservation District

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Meeting Minutes

Thursday, July 20, 2023 Board Meeting (Brush Creek Mill)

Attendance: Board Members: Chapman, Houston, and Skarbek; Staff: Charles Doan, Greg Corace, (Kaylie Landrum was attending MAEAP training). The meeting was called to order at 5:01 PM by Chapman, Board Chair.

Public Comment:

Approval of May 2023 meeting minutes:

• Motion made by Skarbek to approve the June 15, 2023 meeting minutes, supported by Houston, motion carried.

Financial Report

• Financial report submitted by Charlie. Motion to approve made by Houston, supported by Skarbek. Roll Call vote: Ayes: Chapman, Houston, Skarbek. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Approval of Bills:

 Houston made motion to approve payment of Conservation District bills, second by Skarbek. Roll Call vote: Ayes: Chapman, Houston, Skarbek. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Reports:

- Written MDARD Partner report submitted, accepted.
- FAP written report submitted, accepted.
- MAEAP written report submitted, accepted.

District Business:

OLD:

Administrative Assistant Position; DM provided update on the advertised position.
Directors encouraged continued advertisement until a viable candidate has applied.

NEW:

- Annual Meeting/Election Notices; DM provided review of annual meeting date/time and election process and nomination procedures, discussion followed.
- Budget Process; DM provided an overview of the budget process in preparation for the budget hearing to take place during the September 2023 board meeting.

TASKS TO BE COMPLETED:

Autumn Olive educational video; the video will be completed and published to the AMCD website in early August

Fall Conifer Sale; the sale order form will be made available to the public by August 14, 2023.

The next board meeting will be held on Thursday, August 17th, 2023 at Alpena Field Office at 5:00PM

Motion to adjourn the meeting made by Skarbek, supported by Houston, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:40pm.

Charles R. Doan, District Manager

Approved / Amended / Disapproved